

ABSTRACT

In a lining element (1) for the interior of a vehicle, in particular a motor vehicle, a base part (2) is provided, on its surface side facing the interior (4) of the vehicle and suitable for the output of light, with a translucent covering layer (3). According to the invention, to improve the haptic properties, the covering layer (3) is designed to be elastically compressible and preferably translucent. The base part (2) can be designed, for example, as a plate-like optical conductor (10) which is operationally associated with a separate light generator (7), for example a light-emitting diode (8). Alternatively, it is also possible to form the base part (2) directly as a light generator (7), for example by applying an electroluminescent film (18).